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Enclosed for filing is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of:

Inventors: Kevan Wilkins, Shannon L. Mason, and Chris Hammond  
For: GAMING MACHINE HAVING MULTI-ENDED POINTER FOR QUASI-DETERMINISTIC PLAY ("Pick-A-Prize")

Enclosures:

- ☒ Specification (pages 1-10); claims (pages 11-13); abstract (page 14)
- ☒ 4 sheets of FORMAL drawings
- ☒ Declaration or Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned)
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 CFR 1.27)
- ☒ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i) for Nonpublication
- ☒ Return Postcard

| CLAIMS AS FILED              |                 |                 |           |                    |
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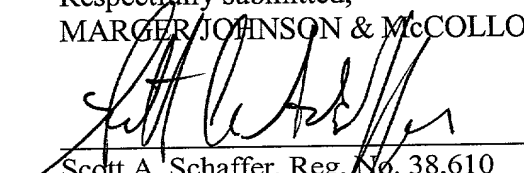


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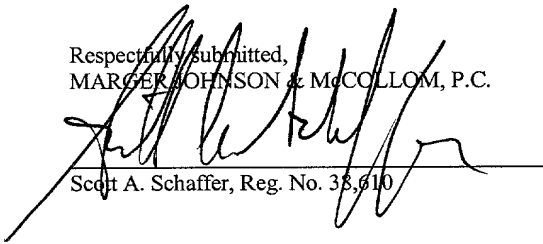
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